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# ANOTHER BIG WAGE CUT FORECAST

## LABOR READY TO FIGHT FOR THEIR RIGHTS

### A. F. OF L. COUNCIL IN SESSION TODAY AT CINCINNATI, O.

Organized Labor is in no mood to have its Constitutional Rights Taken From it.

### GOMPERS WARNED LABOR'S ENEMIES

Council's Report Attacks Acts of Congress and Labor Decisions of Nation's Courts.

CINCINNATI, June 12.—(U. P.)—Organized labor is in no mood to have its constitutional rights and privileges taken from it by any subtle reasoning or assumption of power, no matter whence it shall emanate, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor declared today in a speech opening the federation's forty second annual convention.

Six hundred delegates cheered Gompers when he warned "labor's enemies, those who plan and carry into effect designs intended to crush American labor."

"We understand them, and are as ready or more so than they are, for the contest," the veteran leader declared. "We shall go on, more determined than ever and there shall not be stamped on our brow and on our backs the type of 'the man with the hoe'."

Discussing the armament conference Gompers said that not much was accomplished "compared with what remains," but a beginning has been made. Labor, he declared, deserved credit for initiating the movement for the conference. "Organized labor in every civilized country has made contribution toward the limitation of armaments," Gompers urged still further and more drastic slashes in armaments.

The veteran made no direct reference to the supreme court decision in the Corrado and other cases affecting labor. He decried the "open shop" declaring it an actually "closed shop" to union men.

Report is Given  
CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 12.—(U. P.)—Blitter attacks on the present congress and the forces hostile to union labor were outstanding in the report of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, submitted to the convention of the federation shortly after it opened here today.

The council declaring that the federation during the last year had successfully withstood many attacks against union labor, recommended a most aggressive policy for the future.

Other main recommendations, purporting to reflect the views of the organized workers of the country were:

Strong opposition to the sales tax, the ship subsidy, anti-strike laws, all forms of political censorship of moving pictures and anti-picketing legislation.

Approval of restriction of immigration, food relief to Russia, more federal aid for good roads, blue sky legislation, larger funds for the federal employment service and the bill authorizing co-operative marketing associations.

Denunciation of the Kansas Industrial Court.

Child Labor Laws.  
Strong disapproval of the supreme court decision knocking out the child labor decision and other decrees restricting picketing during labor strikes as well as a general denunciation of court injunctions in industrial disputes.

Disapproval of the Judge Anderson and Judge McClinton injunctions against coal miners.

Disapproval of President Harding's proposal for a national labor board, which, it was claimed, would regulate the unions.

Disapproval of several decisions of the Railroad Labor Board and virtually asking for its elimination.

Sharp attacks on the Esch-Commins railroad law.

Establishment of a railroad labor policy board to arrange for concerted action whenever "the occasion demanded."

### Ukiah Student Was Neither Absent or Tardy in 8 Years

(East Oregonian Special.)  
UKIAH, Ore., June 12.—An enviable attendance record has been achieved by Grace Peterson during her eight years in grammar school. She has not once been absent or tardy and as a result of her devotion to her studies she attained the highest average in her class in the recent state examinations. She is the only pupil of the Ukiah school who holds a Palmer writing certificate.

Miss Peterson, in the examinations, maintained an average of over 90 in all subjects, and secured a grade of 100 per cent in writing and physiology.

### HARTMAN IS WINNER OF GOLF TOURNAMENT

Mayor George Hartman was victor in the non-handicap tournament held at the Pendleton golf club yesterday, finishing with a score of 79 for 18 holes. Second place was taken by Brook Dickson who had a score of 83 and third place was tied by J. V. Tallman and D. D. Phelps each with a score of 88.

Other scores made yesterday were: Dr. E. E. Boyden, 96; F. J. McManis, 92; C. C. Whitman, 119; Dr. Spaulding, 116; James Welch, 123; Dr. H. A. Hamman, 102; J. J. Hamley, 105; J. M. Hamley 91.

### CROP PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT AT BUTTER CREEK

Crop prospects in the Butter creek region are excellent and the wheat is in better condition than at this time last year, says Dan P. Smythe, with G. M. Rice, Earl P. Tulloch, Mr. Tulloch, Sr., and E. F. Averill, visited Butter creek yesterday.

Mr. Smythe states that the rain was of much benefit and that the wheat looks fine. There is a good stand, the wheat is headed out and in the milk, he states. He predicts that with favorable weather, harvest will be reasonably early this year.

The Tulloch & Smythe wheat southwest of Pendleton is doing well also, Mr. Smythe says. The recent rains washed the fields somewhat but not to any great extent.

### CANYON CITY CATTLE RAISER SHOT BY HERDER

CANYON CITY, June 12.—(L. N. S.)—T. A. Jones, cattle raiser, was shot and killed Sunday near Ritter, in northern Grant county, by George Smith, sheep herder, according to a message received here. Smith, who is being brought here, is being held in lieu of bond. He is charged with the murder of Jones.

### JULY WHEAT PRICES SLUMPED AT CHICAGO

Wheat prices slumped today, July grain closing at \$1.09 5-8, September at \$1.10 1-2 and December at \$1.12 1-8. Saturday's closing prices were July \$1.14 5-8, September, \$1.16 3-8 and December \$1.17 1-8.

Following are the quotations received by Overbeck & Cooke, local brokers:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	\$1.14 1/2	\$1.14 3/4	\$1.09 5/8	\$1.09 5/8
Sept.	1.15 1/2	1.15 3/4	1.10 1/2	1.10 1/2
Dec.	1.16 1/2	1.16 3/4	1.12 1/8	1.12 1/8

Cash Markets.  
Seattle—Hard white, \$1.14; soft white, \$1.14; white club, \$1.14; hard winter, \$1.14; northern spring, \$1.14; red winter, \$1.14.

Portland—Hard white, \$1.14; soft white, \$1.14; white club, \$1.14; hard winter, \$1.14; northern spring, \$1.14; red winter, \$1.14.

### GOYTHAM HIT BY GREATEST STORM IN ITS HISTORY

Fifty Persons Are Dead and Hundreds Injured When Twister Struck the City.

### SMALL CRAFT ON BAY WERE CAPSIZED

Hurricane Wrecked Buildings, Tore Up Trees; Storm Felt in Other Cities.

NEW YORK, June 12.—(U. P.)—Nearly fifty persons are dead and a hundred injured in the wake of the first cyclone in the history of New York. The hurricane struck the city late yesterday. The heaviest toll of life was taken at City Island, a resort in the suburb, where the gale, accompanied by sheets of rain, bursts of hail and a continuous play of lightning, caused casualties estimated as high as thirty dead. City Island today appears nearly wrecked. Most of the victims were caught bathing or boating, when the twisting black cloud, tearing up the sound, swallowed up boats without a trace. The Ferris wheel was swept into the bay loaded with picnickers. Trees and signs were leveled in New York proper and terror spread in the suburbs.

Nothing like the storm is known in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Yesterday's brief blast had all the characteristics of a typhoon twister. It cut a swath up the bay, and little boats dotting the sound were

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### JEWETT IS HERE TO MEET WITH FARMERS

The Oregon Cooperative Grain Growers association is making an extensive drive for members in Umatilla county this week with the result that a corps of eight is here or soon to arrive with a view to work in all sections of the wheat region of the county.

George C. Jewett, general manager of the organization, is here and will hold a series of meetings in the county, starting at Athena, June 12, 2 p. m.; Milton, June 12, 8 p. m.; Helix, June 13, 2 p. m.; Pilot Rock, June 13, 8 p. m.; Pendleton, June 14, 2 p. m.; Echo, June 14, 8 p. m.

Farmers, whether or not members of the Oregon Cooperative Grain Growers, are invited to attend the meetings as well as business men and other interested persons.

The following solicitors and other workers are here or enroute to this county: R. B. Howard, A. W. Davis, A. S. Dunlap, H. O. Barnes, all solicitors while Ralph H. Campbell, another solicitor is soon to arrive; C. A. Barnes, field organization manager, Edgar L. Ludwig, assistant secretary-treasurer and organization manager, to arrive Wednesday, and Mr. Jewett.

### SENATE MAY START COAL INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, June 12.—(A. P.)—Senator Walsh, democratic, of Massachusetts, in a statement declared that a congressional investigation would be made and an indictment of bituminous coal operators who have used the Hoover price fixing agreement to raise prices would be demanded unless Secretary Hoover obtains a reduction of prices on contract coal in a few days.

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland.—The total catch of the Atlantic Ocean so far this season is 122,000, brought in by eight steamers. Three steamers are now out for second trips.

### LENINE ILL.



Persistent reports of the illness of Nikolai Lenin have been verified by authoritative dispatches saying the Soviet premier has suffered a stroke of apoplexy.

### BUCKAROOS SHUT OUT WALLA WALLA BEARS YESTERDAY; SCORE 8-0

Three New Players Added Right Quality to Local Team to Bring Victory.

Blue Mt. League Standings  
W. L. Pct.  
Milton-Freewater 5 4 .556  
Walla Walla 4 5 .444  
Pendleton 4 5 .444  
Dayton 4 5 .444  
Yesterday's Results  
At Pendleton 8, Walla 0.  
At Milton 8, Dayton 3.

Leon Pinson inoculated his shipping Buckaroos with a few ball playing Buckaroos and the rejuvenated tossers romped home yesterday with an eight to nothing victory.

Three new faces graced the lineup of the locals and they all performed with creditableness. Mike Moran, Roy and Harold Hanley, brothers of Dick Hanley, the local coach and ball player, were the new thrills and they shone brightly. Moran showed himself an able catcher in center and a good man at the bat. All Roy Hanley did was make five putouts, five assists, score two runs and crack out a neat two bagger. He booted two grounders in one inning but no damage was done. As a third baseman, we can use him the rest of the season. Harold Hanley, the kid brother is an sweet first baseman if his playing yesterday. He looked like a million dollars on the high ones, the low ones, and his bat seems stored full of hits.

Dick Hanley, Cory and Roy were all benched yesterday to give the three new men a workout. Pendleton has been woefully weak with the stick in recent games, especially when a hit meant a run so new lineup. All three hitting trio, were smart. All three batting order were good fielders. The benched ones are good fielders but have fallen into a slump of late with the stick.

Pendleton's victory was the result of her ability to connect with the ball when men were out, straight defense and some excellent pitching by Chief Bettles. He allowed eight hits scattered hits, did not give a base on balls or hit a batsman.

Only ten men lined out in the game.

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### GOVERNMENT IN CHINA BESET BY REPUBLICAN HEAD

Manifesto Issued Threatening Parliament With Imprisonment to Prevent Election.

### DEFEATED WAR LORD AGAIN WAGING WAR

Sun Yat Sen Forces Captured Kanchow Ki After Several Days of Severe Fighting.

PEKING, June 12.—(U. P.)—Further governmental complications beset China today. Sun Yat Sen, head of the republican government, issued a manifesto threatening imprisonment of the Chinese parliament to prevent its meeting today.

Holden the proposed presidential election, in case Wu Ting Fang resumes premiership of the Peking government to succeed Yen Hui Shing, seated as temporary premier.

Battle Raging  
TIENTSIN, China, June 12.—(A. P.)—General Chang Tso Lin's proposals for an armistice with Wu Pei Fu appear to have been simply a ruse to gain time for the defeated Manchurian war lord. Heavy fighting broke out Friday between Chinchow and Shunhsikwan. The battle has been raging steadily the past three days.

City Captured  
LONDON, June 12.—(A. P.)—Army of Sun Yat Sen, southern Chinese leader, captured Kanchow Ki, in Kiangsi province, according to a Hong Kong dispatch to the Daily Mail. The fall of the city was preceded by several days of severe fighting.

### TAYLOR'S SLAYERS TO HANG ON JULY 7

SALEM, Ore., June 12.—Refusal of Chief Justice Burnett of the Oregon supreme court to grant a writ of error in the recent decree of the court in the case of the state versus Elvie D. Kirby, has placed the fate of Kirby and John L. Rathie, under sentence to hang for complicity in the murder of Sheriff Taylor, of Umatilla county, in the hands of the United States supreme court. The writ of error was sought as a preliminary to the appeal of the case to the United States court.

The only recourse of attorneys for the condemned men now, it was pointed out is a direct appeal to the higher court.

Falling in this, execution of the two, it was pointed out here, will undoubtedly take place July 7, next, to which day they were relieved by Governor Odeitt when an attempt was made to secure their release from prison on a writ of habeas corpus.

Dan Casey, condemned to hang for the murder of J. H. "Buck" Phillips, Portland railroad detective, was also relieved at the same time as were Kirby and Rathie, but his case is now on appeal before the supreme court, which automatically stays his execution pending the outcome of his appeal.

### F. E. DAMAIN IS NEW MANAGER OF ST. GEORGE

F. E. Damain, for some time employed as assistant manager of Hotel St. George, is now the manager of the hotel, according to an announcement made this morning by Dr. I. U. Temple, new owner of the hotel.

Dr. Temple has taken possession of the hotel and states that it will continue under the old name, with the motto "Your Comfort is Our Pleasure," which will be used extensively in advertising. Aside for the complete renovation of the hotel will be in a short time. The interior is to be painted and redecorated and otherwise thoroughly improved. New draperies and blinds are to be put in place.

The owner states that at present the place is not including the opening of a grill in connection with the hotel.

### Umatilla is Big Favorite in the Irrigation League

Irrigation League Standings  
W. L. Pct.  
Umatilla 7 2 .778  
Echo 6 3 .667  
Hermiston 5 4 .556  
Stanfield 4 5 .444  
Yesterday's Results  
Umatilla 6, Hermiston 4.  
Echo 7, Stanfield 6.  
Umatilla held the lead in the Irrigation league Sunday by defeating Hermiston 6 to 4 after Hermiston had started with two runs in the first inning. Umatilla will undoubtedly have clear sailing for the remainder of the season, for two of the remaining three games are with Stanfield, Stanfield has been the goat, dropping all of the nine games played.

### HELIX DEFEATED AT PASCO YESTERDAY 9-0

(East Oregonian Special.)  
PASCO, Wn., June 12.—The Pasco baseball team whitewashed the Helix nine here yesterday 9 to 0. The game was exciting despite the score. Both teams played all-right ball until the sixth frame, when Ray Pierce, Helix pitcher blew-up. Until that time the score was 1 to 0 in favor of the local team. Shelby Pasco pitched a good game.

### GILLILAND CHOSEN PIONEER PRESIDENT

T. P. Gilliland, of Pilot Rock, formerly judge of Umatilla county, was chosen as president of the Pioneer Association on Saturday at Weston on the last day of the annual Pioneer Picnic.

George W. Singer was elected vice-president. Claude Price secretary and J. H. Price was re-elected treasurer. The feature of Saturday's program was an address by Walter Pierce of La Grande, candidate for governor. Mr. Pierce gave personal reminiscences of pioneer days and held the attention of the crowds during an hour's talk.

Music, games and races were enjoyed, as well as a picnic dinner. The crowds were larger this year than ever before.

### BRIDGE SUPERINTENDENT KILLED BY U. P. TRAIN

PORTLAND, June 12.—(A. P.)—L. M. Ruck, superintendent of construction for the Union Bridge company, was killed early today by a union Pacific train at Multnomah Falls. He was due at Hood River to take charge of road work. He had evidently left Portland late yesterday by bus and stopped at Multnomah Falls. He was seen on the track shortly before being hit.

### MAN ARRESTED IN PORTLAND FOR 'AD'

PORTLAND, June 12.—(U. P.)—A. Gerald Paffenbarger, arrested this morning after a fight with picture men who suspected his moves of inserting a "personal" advertisement in the newspapers here, today was charged with the murder of a woman. He was charged with the murder of a woman. He was charged with the murder of a woman.

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### THIRD BIG WAGE REDUCTION IS HINT FROM BOARD

350,000 Clerks, Signal Men, Truckers and Freight Handlers to be Cut 5 Cents.

### REDUCTION WILL TOTAL 50 MILLIONS

It is Rumored That Strike May be Directed From Canada Because of Court Decision.

CHICAGO, June 12.—(U. P.)—The third fifty million dollar cut in railroad workers pay will be announced this week, according to the United States railroad labor board hint today. Clerks, signal men, truckers and freight handlers, will be affected in the latest board ruling. The cut will be about five cents an hour, according to the forecast.

350,000 Affected  
While additional wage cuts swung over the heads of three hundred and fifty thousand more railway employees it was rumored that any rail strike may be directed and financed from Canada as a means of evading the recent decision of the United States supreme court holding unions liable for damages caused by their members.

### ECHO AGREES TO PLAY HELIX AT PENDLETON

Echo has accepted the challenge issued by Helix for a baseball game to be played in Pendleton, according to Chas. Hoskins a member of the Echo team. Hoskins states that Echo will play Helix for the gate receipts or any other reasonable stipulation, providing that two neutral umpires are secured. Echo defeated Helix in a game recently played at Echo.

### WOMAN KILLED IN ACCIDENT

ASTORIA, June 12.—(A. P.)—Miss Tundra Stewart, Seattle, was killed in an automobile accident when her car overturned on a curve at Warrenton early today. Three others in the car were unhurt.

Light Shower Falls.  
A light shower of rain fell in Pendleton yesterday afternoon, cooling the air. The rain was accompanied by thunder.

### INDICTED KLANSMEN PLEAD NOT GUILTY

LOS ANGELES, June 12.—(U. P.)—Thirty-five indicted members of the Ku Klux Klan herded before Judge Homer here today, pleaded not guilty to charges voted against them. The trials have been set for August 7. All are alleged participants in the Inglewood raid.

### THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse.  
Maximum, 82.  
Minimum, 56.  
Barometer, 29.72.



Tonight and Tomorrow Fair.